## Remarks

Claims 1-22 are pending in this application. Applicants have amended claims 1-6, 9, 13, 15, 17, and 18 to clarify the claimed invention. Applicants respectfully request favorable reconsideration of this application.

Applicants have amended the abstract to delete legal terminology. Applicants submit herewith on a separate sheet a clean copy of the abstract of the disclosure.

Applicants have amended the specification to correct typographical errors.

The Examiner rejected claims 1-22 under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, as indefinite. Applicants have amended claims 1 and 13 to clarify that the arriving gas may include the transport gas or may include the transport gas and the tracer gas. The content of the arriving gas depends upon whether or not a leak is present in the system. If there is a leak, then the arriving gas includes transport gas and tracer gas. If there is not a leak, then the arriving gas only includes transport gas. This is clear from the specification. Therefore, Applicants submit that the claims comply with 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, and respectfully request withdrawal of this rejection.

The Examiner indicated that all pending claims recite allowable subject matter.

Accordingly, Applicants submit that this case is now in condition for allowance and respectfully request favorable reconsideration of this application and issuance of the notice of allowance.

The undersigned authorizes the Commissioner to charge fee insufficiency and credit overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 22-0261.

Respectfully submitted,

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